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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: PRIME MINISTER'S REACTION TO SECRETARY'S LETTER

REF: A. STATE 138042; B. POS 1463 (BOTH NOTAL)

1. I PRESENTED SECRETARY KISSINGER'S LETTER TO PRIME MINISTER WILLIAMS AFTERNOON OF JUNE 27. HE APPEARED VERY APPRECIATIVE OF LETTER AND ESPECIALLY OF STATEMENT THAT THE SECRETARY UNDERSTANDS HIS CONCERN OVER BWIA. WITH REGARD TO POINTS MADE ABOUT PENDING APPLICATIONS BY EASTERN AND PANAM, PRIME MINISTER GAVE EVERY INDICATION THAT MATTER WILL SOON BE RESOLVED.

2. AT DINNER GIVEN PREVIOUS EVENING BY GOVERNOR GENERAL, MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE ERROL MAHABIR REFERRED TO HIS EARLIER ASSURANCES GIVEN ME (REF B) THAT HE WOULD ENCOURAGE PROMPT CONSIDERATION OF PENDING APPLICATIONS. MAHABIR IMPLIED THAT AIR TRANSPORT LICENSING AUTHORITY WILL INDEED MEET SOON TO RESOLVE THIS ISSUE. IN A SEPARATE COMMENT, MAHABIR INDICATED THAT BARBADOS' INTERNATIONAL CARIBBEAN AIRLINES (ICA) WAS NO LONGER OF CONCERN TO THE GOTT. HE DID NOT, HOWEVER, ELABORATE ON THIS REMARK.
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